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Price, \$2 per Month.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—J. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, London Street, E.C. GEORGE SCHUBERT & Co., 30, Cornhill, GEORGE & CO., 10, Abchurch Lane, E.C. BATES & CO., 27, Walbrook, E.C. SAMPSON, LOWE & CO., 150 & 154, Leadenhall Street, W. M. WILKS, 151, Old Bailey, E.C. PARIS.—J. B. LAFITTE, 10, Boulevard des Capucines, Paris. NEW YORK.—J. B. LAFITTE, 21, Park Row, New York. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—HARRIS & BRACK, San Francisco. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORDON, Melbourne and Sydney. CRYSTON.—W. M. SMITH & Co., The Arcade, Melbourne. SINGAPORE, PENANG, AND MALACCA.—S. S. & Co., Singapore. C. HARRISON & Co., Malacca. CHINA.—M. A. DE CRUZ, Swatow, Quilon & Co., Amoy, N. MOULTON, Peking, Hanoi & Co., Shanghai, Hankow, Canton, & Co., and KEE & WATSON, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, & Co., and KELLY & Co.

Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposits for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked *On Hongkong Savings Bank Business* is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 7, 1887. 754

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Paid-up Capital, \$7,500,000
Reserve Fund, \$4,500,000
Reserve for Exchange, \$200,000
Dividend, \$200,000
Reserve Liability of Pro-
prietors, \$7,500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman, A. M. M. Esq.
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Hon. J. B. L. Esq.
Acting Chief Manager, JOHN WALTER, Esq.
MANAGERS.
Shanghai, E. W. CAMERON, Esq.
London, J. B. L. Esq.
Hongkong, J. B. L. Esq.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

MR. FREDERICK DODWELL has This Day RESUMED CHARGE of our BUSINESS at this Port.
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 4, 1887. 199

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. LOUIS PIRON in our Firm CRASED on the 1st January, 1887.
HAHN, PIRON & Co.

Mr. GEORGE SACHESE has been admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from the 1st of January, 1887.
HAHN, PIRON & Co.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned will Enter into a PARTNERSHIP on the 1st January, 1887, as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS, under the Style or Firm of "HUGHES & EZRA."
E. JONES HUGHES,
N. N. J. EZRA.
Hongkong, December 31, 1886. 2492

Notice of Firm.

NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr. ED. MILLER to SIGN BILLS OF LADING in our Name from this date.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, November 29, 1886. 2274

Intimations.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Eighteenth Ordinary Annual MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above-named Company will be held at the Company's Office situated in Pedder's Street, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 22nd day of February, 1887, at 12.30 of the Clock in the Afternoon, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1886, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

And Notice is hereby also given that at the same place and in the same day at 12.45 of the Clock in the Afternoon or so soon afterwards as the Ordinary Annual Meeting shall be concluded, an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Company will be held for the purpose of passing the subjoined Resolution.

Should the resolution be passed by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a SPECIAL RESOLUTION to a Second Extraordinary Meeting which will be subsequently convened.

RESOLUTION.

That the Articles of Association be altered in manner following:—

- (a.) The following Article shall be substituted for Article No. 117, namely:—
"The Reserve Fund shall consist of a sum of not less than \$1,000,000 nor more than \$1,500,000."
- (b.) The following Article shall be substituted for Article No. 112, namely:—
"The Reserve Fund shall have now reaching the sum of \$1,000,000, provided the General Managers and the Consulting Committee may appropriate from time to time so much of the profits as they may deem desirable to the Reserve Fund until the said Fund shall amount to the sum of \$1,500,000, provided always that each annual appropriation shall not exceed 10 per Cent. of the said profits."
- (c.) The following Article shall be substituted for Article No. 115, namely:—
"The said Reserve Fund shall if practicable be maintained at a sum of not less than \$1,000,000 nor more than \$1,500,000, and the whole of the future accruing profits of the Company shall, subject to such annual bonus as above said and less such portion or portions (if any) thereof (not exceeding in any year 30 per Cent. of the profits of such year) as the General Managers may (as they are hereby empowered to do) apply in maintaining the Reserve Fund at a sum of not less than \$1,000,000, and less also such portion or portions (if any) thereof as may from time to time be applied in increasing the said Reserve Fund under Article 112, be divisible amongst the Shareholders generally according to the number of Shares held by each."

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 22nd day of February, both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.
Hongkong, January 31, 1887. 171

GRIFFITH'S PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO.

1, DUDDELL STREET, HONGKONG.

OWING TO EXPIRATION OF LEASE, these PREMISES will be CLOSED in MARCH NEXT.

Mr. GRIFFITH requests of those who have favoured him with sittings and desiring more Copies that they will forward him their Orders at earliest date, and he would be glad to Lease suitable Premises in a good Central position.
Hongkong, January 29, 1887. 169

NOTICE.

TO LEASE.

THE SPACIOUS PREMISES known as The

Hongkong Steam Laundry Company (Limited),

comprising:—

A SIX-ROOMED DWELLING,

SPACIOUS DRYING ROOM

WHICH CAN BE UTILIZED AS A

GODOWN, AND YARD,

—AND—

INLAND LOTS, Nos. 742 and 743,

upon which it stands, measuring about

24,000 Square Feet.

FOR SALE.

- 1 HORIZONTAL STEAM ENGINE and BOILER.
- 1 McALPINE WASHING MACHINE for Heavy Work.
- 1 Do. New WASHING MACHINE for Heavy Work.
- 2 ROTARY WASHING MACHINES for Family Work.
- 1 DASH WHEEL RINSING MACHINE.
- 1 Do. Do. New.
- 1 CENTRIFUGAL MACHINE for Wringing.
- 1 SET of FOUR COPPER BOILERS.
- 1 STARCHING MACHINE.
- 2 IRON STOVES for Heating Irons.
- 1 COMPLETE DRYING CLOSET, with TWENTY HORSES.
- 1 DECONCENTRATING MACHINE.
- 1 Do. Do.
- 1 MARBLE, with DRIVING and REVERSING Gear.

A. O. D. GOURDIN,
Hongkong, January 27, 1887. 146

Business Notices.

LANE CRAWFORD & CO.

Big to call SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THEIR LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF the following:

SOLID LEATHER PORTMANTEAUX.
PATENT LEATHER PORTMANTEAUX.
WATER-PROOF CANVAS OVERLAND TRUNKS.
AMERICAN CABIN TRUNKS.
ENGLISH and AMERICAN-MADE GLADSTONE BAGS & VALISES.
FITTED TRAVELLING BAGS and CASES.
PATENT STEEL 'P. & O.' CABIN TRUNKS.

PATENT STEEL DRESS TRUNKS.
LADIES' SATIN TRUNKS.
AIR-TIGHT SUIT CASES.
TRAVELLING DESKS and DESPATCH BOXES.
RUGS, STRAPS and LABELS.
WATER-PROOF CANVAS HOLD-ALLS.
LEATHER BOOT CASES (for packing Boots inside Trunks).

Also,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF TRAVELLING RUGS, CAPS, WATER-PROOFS, and UMBRELLAS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, February 2, 1887. 185

THE BON MARCHE.

(CHEAP MARKET.)
ANNOUNCING THE STAG HOTEL (Next Door).
CONSISTING OF A STOCK OF FANCY and USEFUL ARTICLES.
At Cash Prices and for Cash only.

PIPES, TOBACCO, CIGARS, BOOKS, NOVELS, MUSIC, MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, ALBUMS, KNIVES, CUTLERY, LEATHER GOODS, CLOCKS, and a varied Stock of FANCY GOODS of all kinds.
BON MARCHE, next door to THE STAG HOTEL.
Hongkong, September 8, 1886. 1739

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NEW FRENCH NOVELS—JUST RECEIVED

AMOURS DE GARNISON—Régis.
Mazecro.
L'Enfer d'une Femme—P. Dostoyevsky.
Grappins de Gigoules—Tennet Des Ab.
La Statue de Chair—E. D'Hervilly.
Histoire de la Littérature Française—D. Nard.
Sauls—P. Poitevin.
Antour Du Mariage—Gyp.
Dont pour Dont—E. Blivet.
La Princesse Rouge—E. Blivet.
Comment Elver nos Enfants?
Dans l'Air—Gyp.
Les Scandales de Berlin—by C. Samarow.
Institution de Democelles—Albert Cien.
KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, HONGKONG.
Hongkong, January 15, 1887. 84

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers & General Outfitters,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

ARE SHOWING

A CHOICE SELECTION OF

OVER COATINGS,

to which they INVITE the attention of their Customers.

SPECIALTY

Superfine Black Cloth Dress Suit,

\$30.00.

Hongkong, December 1, 1886. 2283

W. POWELL & Co.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE

FOR CASH

14 Days only,

Remnants! Remnants!! Remnants!!!

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
Hongkong, January 31, 1887. 174

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL.

The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, conveniences and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABEE & HING KEE,
Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 19, 1885. 1612

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Optician, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VOYAGERS' CELEBRATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.
RICHIE'S LIQUID and OTHER COMPASSES.
ADMIRALTY and NAVY CHARTS.
NAUTICAL BOOKS.
English SILVER & ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.
CHRISTIE & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.
GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.
DIAMOND JEWELLERY.
A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATENTERS, at very moderate prices. 742

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HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company, No. 14, Praya, Central, on SATURDAY, the 26th February, at 11 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, and Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 1886.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 13th to the 26th February, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
DAVID GILLIES,
Secretary.

Hongkong, January 10, 1887. 109

Intimations.

HONGKONG FLOWER SHOW.

THE FIFTEENTH ANNUAL EXHIBITION will be held in the BOTANIC GARDENS, on

THURSDAY and FRIDAY, the 17th and 18th February, 1887.

ALL Exhibitors must be Entered not later than the 14th Instant, and Entries in FLOWERS should be sent in on the 10th Instant.

Admission:—First Day, \$1; Second Day, 20 Cents.

Tickets for the First Day may be obtained from LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Schedules of Prizes can be obtained from CHARLES FORD, Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, February 5, 1887. 202

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eighteenth Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 45, Queen's Road, Victoria, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon of TUESDAY, the 22nd February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1886.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 22nd Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,
Secretary.

Hongkong, February 4, 1887. 200

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the CENTRAL HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of February current, at 12 o'clock, Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Court of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1886.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 1, 1887. 177

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Corporation will be CLOSED from the 12th to the 26th day of February current (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

By Order of the Court of Directors,
JOHN WALTER,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, February 1, 1887. 178

NOTICE.

FOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the CHINA STEAM REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED, can henceforward be obtained by RETAIL, FOR CASH, at No. 3, PERI STREET, at the same prices as at the REFINERY, or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town applicants forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the REFINERY at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885. 1128

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.

THE BRITISH STEAMER SOOCHOW.

Capacity 313 Tons, Speed 11 Knots. Thoroughly repaired last month. TERMS MODERATE.

Apply to HO TIM, Broker, 18, Bank Buildings, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, February 4, 1887. 198

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts, \$20 per Case of 1 doz. Pinks, \$21.

Dubos Freres & Co. of Giron & Co.'s BORDEAUX CLARETS and WHITE WINES.

Baxter's Celebrated "Barley Bree" WHISKY, \$7 per Case of 1 doz. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, July 18, 1884. 1187

To Let.

MOUNT KELLET.

TO LET, FURNISHED, The Five-Roomed House BANOCUA. Tennis Court attached.

For Particulars, apply to Messrs. BIRD & PALMER, Architects.

Hongkong, January 15, 1887. 88

TO LET.

WITH immediate occupation the Commodious PREMISES known as the P. & O. OFFICES, lately in the occupation of the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

For further Particulars, apply to the Undersigned.

E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 22, 1886. 2220

TO LET.

ROOMS in "COLLIER CLARETS." R. No. 10, HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Hongkong, December 5, 1886. 632

Auctions.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

THE following Particulars of SALE of CROWN LAND by Public Auction, to be held on the Spot, on MONDAY, the 21st day of February, 1887, at 4 p.m., are published for general information.

By Command,

FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Hongkong, 5th February, 1887. 217

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction, to be held on Monday, the 21st day of February, 1887, at 4 p.m., by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government, of One Lot of Crown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 999 years.

Particulars of the Lots.

No. of Sale. Locality. Boundary. Area. Price. Deposit.

1. Inland Lot No. 1082. Kennedy Town. 200 x 200 x 200 x 200. 40,000. 570,000.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

MONDAY, the 28th February, 1887, at 11 a.m., on Board,—

THE BRITISH THREE-MASTED SCHOONER

WANDERING MINSTREL, of 302 Tons Register, Built in 1875, and Newly Sheathed with Yellow Metal, with all her TACKLE and APPAREL, as she then lies in the Harbour, near the COSMOPOLITAN DOCK.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-third of the Purchase Money to be paid after full of hammer, the remainder upon transfer; the Vessel to be at Purchaser's risk immediately after being knocked down.

A STRAM LAUNCH will leave Pedder's Wharf at 10.45 a.m., for further Particulars, apply to the AUCTIONEER.

G. R. LAMBERT,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 5, 1887. 207

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOSHOW.

The Co.'s Steamship Haiphong, Capt. S. AUSTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 10th Instant, at 11 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, February 5, 1887. 222

FOR SHANGHAI.

Entertainments.

SALINGER'S ENGLISH OPERA
BOUFFE COMPANY.THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL.TO-MORROW EVENING,
10th February, 1887.

FIRST GRAND PRODUCTION

GILBERT AND SULLIVAN'S latest Japanese
Comic Opera in Two Acts,

'THE MIKADO,'

THE TOWN OF TITIPU,
In its entire Originality.

Characters:

The Mikado of Japan... Mr. Frank D'Este.
Nanki... His son, disguised as a wandering minstrel and in love with Yum-Yum.
Ko-Ko... Lord High Executioner of Titipu.
Pooh... Lord High everything else.
Pish... A Noble Lord.
Yum-Yum... Three Sisters.
Pitt-Sing... Wara of Ko-Ko.
Peep-Bo... Miss Alice Emmoth.
Katisha... An elderly lady in love with Nanki Poo.
Chorus of Nobles, Guards, &c.

SYNOPSIS OF SCENERY.

COURT YARD OF KO-KO'S OFFICIAL
RESIDENCE.

KO-KO'S GARDEN.

THE BRILLIANT NEW DRESSES ARE ALL
SIMILAR TO THE ORIGINALS.

STANDARD NEW SCENERY.

CHORUS OF JAPS.

Musical Director, Mr. H. W. POWYS WOOD.

By kind permission of Colonel ANDERSON
and Officers, the Band of the Northamptonshire Regiment will play during the interval.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle and Stalls, £2.
Back Seats, 8s.
Military and Sailors in Uniform, Half-Price to Back Seats only.
To avoid disappointment secure your seats early.
Reserved Seats may be booked at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH'S, Limited, where a Plan of the Hall may be seen.
Doors open at 8.30, to commence at 9.
Hongkong, February 9, 1887. 223

THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY,

11th and 12th February, 1887.

Will be held from 8 to 12 P.M.

FANCY FAIR AND FETE
IN AID OF THE ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL
ORGAN FUND.The Fair will be held in ST. GEORGE'S HALL,
which will be converted for the occasion into
'A MEDLEVAL VILLAGE.'Presided over by Russians, Swiss, Italians,
Dames of the Red Cross, Vivandieres,
La Fille du Regiment, Watsons, Shepherdesses, Flower Girls, the Season's
Ladies of the Last Century, &c., &c.'A WHEEL OF FORTUNE,'
Under the superintendence of
MOTHER HUBBARD, DAME THOT, AND
MOTHER GOOSE.'A GIPSY ENCAMPMENT,'
FORTUNE TELLING, WELL OF TRUTH,
'WHEELING CHAIRS,' &c., &c.IN THE THEATRE
will be performed at 10 P.M. on each
evening,
AN ENTIRELY NEW AND ORIGINAL
BURLESQUE ENTERTAINMENT,
THE LILY OF THE (HAPPY)
VALLEY.THE TEST, THE TOUT, AND THE TAPIN.
By the Author of 'Buttercup Bower.'IN THE ST. ANDREW'S HALL.
PANORAMA DESCRIBING THE
'WAR IN THE SOUDAN.'Specially painted for this occasion by
HERB LOUIS KLIN, of London.ADMISSION—ONE DOLLAR.
Children, Soldiers, Sailors, and Police,
50 Cents.Tickets may be obtained from Messrs
KELLY & WALSH; LANE, CRAVFOOD & CO.;
and W. BREWER.Tickets for the burlesque may be obtained
from Messrs KELLY & WALSH.DRESS CIRCLE (numbered and reserved)
\$1.
STALLS, 50 CENTS.A SPECIAL AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE OF
THE PANORAMA for Children will take
place on SATURDAY, 12th February, at
5 P.M. Admission, 50 Cents.

Hongkong, January 31, 1887. 173

LUSITANO CLUB.

ON
WEDNESDAY,
16th February 1887, at 9 p.m.A MUSICAL CONCERT
will be given by
THE AMATEUR PUPILSMARESCO CATTANEO,
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORPHANS OF THE
ITALIAN CONVENT.

ADMISSION—not under ONE DOLLAR.

Tickets may be obtained at the LUSITANO
CLUB, from Saturday, the 12th Instant,
from 10 a.m., and from MARESCO CATTANEO
from this date, No. 9, Bazaarfield Arcade.

Hongkong, February 8, 1887. 224

Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP IRAGUADY.
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London, ex
Antwerp, Havre and Bordeaux, ex
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To-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,
LIMITED.THE Sixth Ordinary Annual MEETING
of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the
Office of this Company, Paddocks
Road, on TUESDAY, the 22nd
Instant, at 4 p.m., to receive a Statement
of the Accounts of the Company to 31st
December, 1886, and the Report of the
General Managers, also to discuss any
matters that may be competently brought
before the Meeting.The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 12th to 22nd
Instant, both days inclusive.JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, February 9, 1887. 232

STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,
MALTA, GIBRALTAR,
BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE,
PLYMOUTH, AND LONDON.ALSO,
ROMA, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills
of Lading for BATAVIA, PERMAN
GULF, PORTS, MARSEILLES,
TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK
AND LONDON.

SPECIE ONLY LADIES AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
NAPPAUL, Captain T. ALDERTON, with
Her Majesty's Mail, will be despatched
from this Office, LONDON, and BOMBAY
and SUEZ CANAL, on TUESDAY, the
15th February, at 4 p.m.Cargo will be received on board until
10 a.m. on the day of sailing.Parcels and Goods (Gold) at the Office
until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.Silk and Valuable Goods for Europe will be
transhipped at Colombo; Tea and General
Cargo for London will be conveyed
direct Bombay without transhipment, arriving
one week later than by the ordinary direct
route via Colombo.For further Particulars regarding
FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the
PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.The Contents and Value of Packages are
required to be declared prior to shipment.
Shippers are particularly requested to
note the terms and conditions of the Company's
Black Bills of Lading.Passengers desirous of insuring their baggage
can do so on application at the Company's
Office.E. L. WOODIN,
Acting Superintendent.

Hongkong, February 9, 1887. 231

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be responsible for any
Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—ANNE, German barque, Captain J. F.
Kroneke.—Wilder & Co.SARAH HUNTER, American ship, Capt. A.
Morgan.—Ed. Schollhaus & Co.VENTURA, Spanish barque, Captain R.
Batalva.—Remedios & Co.

SHIPPING

ARRIVALS.

February 9, 1887:—

Falkenberg, German str., 938, W. Dreyer,
Saigon February 3, Rico and Faddy.—
MELCHERS & Co.Trawanra, British steamer, 1,138, J. J.
Logan, Saigon February 3, Rico and Faddy.—
RUSSELL & Co.Fushin, Chinese steamer, from Whampoa.
Paunder, British steamer, from Whampoa.

February 9:—

Marcia, British steamer, from Whampoa.
Ganges, British steamer, 2,151, E. Stewart,
London January 7, Bombay 22, and Singapore
February 4, Mails and General.—P. &
O. S. N. Co.Hailson, British steamer, 271, J. S.
Reich, Saigon February 8, General.—
DOUGLAS STRAIGHT & Co.Dardanis, British steamer, 1,635, S.
Purdy, Amoy February 8, General.—BUT-
TERFIELD & SWIRE.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

FEBRUARY 9, 1887.

Stocks.	Yos. & Shares	Value.	Part. up.	Position	PER LAST REPORT.	Balance forward	Last Dividend	Quoting Quotations, Cash.
BANKS.								
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	99,000	121	all		\$ 4,590,000	\$ 111,760.34	\$2 div. 4-year (to June 30), 80	145 1/2 prem.
INSURANCES.								
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	5,000	2	2		\$ 200,000	111,760.34	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Yantai Insurance Company, Ltd.	8,000	21	all		\$ 50,000	406,132.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd.	10,000	25	25		\$ 75,000	430,084.18	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
China Trade Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83.32	25		\$ 60,000	187,524.75	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	250	50		\$ 188,900	494,401.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited.	1,000	1,000	50		\$ 28,111.50	2,818,895.97	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	250	50		\$ 1,000,000	283,482.55	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	10	2		\$ 500,000	223,811.07	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Singapore Insurance Company, Ltd.	40,000	100	20		\$ 17,000	17,000	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
STEAMBOAT COMPANIES.								
H.K. and M. Steamboat Co., Ltd.	40,000	2	all		\$ 180,000	12,379.74	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	20,000	50	all		\$ 142,370.01	118,113	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Hulu-China S. N. Company, Limited.	18,387	10	10		\$ 10	4,387.50	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
60,000 shares issued.	31,812	16	10		\$ 10	4,387.50	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	3,600	100	all		\$ 10	4,387.50	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
MISCELLANEOUS.								
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	12,500	127	all		\$ 15,000	6,701.43	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited.	5,100	10	all		\$ 10	1,527.31	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
New Shares.	1,900	10	10		\$ 10	1,527.31	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	3,000	100	all		\$ 10	1,527.31	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
3,000 shs. issued.	9,000	10	all		\$ 10	1,527.31	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
China Sugar Company, Limited.	5,000	25	all		\$ 30,000	1,135.30	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	600	50	all		\$ 6,000	600.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Tatung Sugar Company, Limited.	7,000	100	all		\$ 1,000	1,000.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ltd.	5,000	50	all		\$ 5,000	5,000.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Perak Tin Mining & S'ing Co., Ltd.	5,000	50	all		\$ 5,000	5,000.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Panama & Pacific Ocean Navigation Co., Ltd.	10,000	10	10		\$ 10	10.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
H.K. & Kow. Wharf & Godown Co., Ltd.	17,000	10	10		\$ 10	10.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
H.K. Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3,000	50	all		\$ 3,000	3,000.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
H. & M. Glass Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	4,000	50	all		\$ 4,000	4,000.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.	3,800	100	all		\$ 3,800	3,800.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
H.K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	100	50		\$ 100	100.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
LOANS.								
Times Imperial 1881	8,561	500	all		\$ 8	8.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
" " 1884 A.	27,900	500	all		\$ 8	8.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
" " 1884 B.	27,900	500	all		\$ 8	8.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
" " 1884 C.	27,900	500	all		\$ 8	8.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.
Chinese Imp. (Ch. Bank Loan) 1885	27,900	500	all		\$ 8	8.00	111,760.34	145 1/2 prem.

DEPARTURES.

February 9:—

Intimations.

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1458

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,

(FORMERLY ARTIFICER APPRENTICE AND LATER ASSISTANT TO DR. ROBERTS.)

At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. Roberts.

No. 2, DUNDRELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.

Sole Address:

2, DUNDRELL STREET.

(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)

Hongkong, January 12, 1885. 06

SAILOR'S HOME.

ANY Out-of-Clothing, Books, or PAPERS will be cheerfully received at the SAILOR'S HOME, West Point.

Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

NOW READY.

THE COMMERCIAL LAW AFFECTING CHINESE, with special reference to PARTNERSHIP REGISTRATION AND BANKRUPTCY LAWS IN HONGKONG.

Copies may be had at the China Mail Office, and at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & CO., Printers, 10, PRY.

Insurances.

THE MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ESTABLISHED 1836.

CAPITAL—£21,000,000.

PAID-UP—£2,180,000.

RESERVE FUND—£2,440,000.

ACCUMULATED PREMIUMS—£280,000.

TOTAL FUNDS—£300,000.

RATES OF PREMIUM ON TEA AND SILK.

From Hongkong, to London, per cent. 100.00.

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Mails.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

MAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, VIA THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship BELGIC will be dispatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 10th February, at 3 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full, and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the day previous to sailing.

Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20% from Return Fare; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10% will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25% from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

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C. D. HARMAN, Agent.

Hongkong, February 1, 1887. 184

U. S. MAIL LINE.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND THROUGH AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship CITY OF NEW YORK will be dispatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on SATURDAY, the 12th February, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

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Hongkong, January 22, 1887. 119

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NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUZ, PORT SAID, TRIESTE, BRINDISI, ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS AS PER LEVANTE, BLACK SEA & BALTO PORTS; ALSO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS, GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.

THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in RUSSIA.

ON MONDAY, the 21st day of February, 1887, at Noon, the Company's Steamship NURNBERG, Capt. Bannow, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above.

Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 20th February. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess. Linn can be washed on board.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 25, 1887. 130

NOW READY.

THE REVENUE OF CHINA.

A SERIES OF ARTICLES, Reprinted from 'The China Mail,' WITH AN APPENDIX.

THIS PAMPHLET is now Ready, and may be had at the Office of the Editor, Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, and Mr. W. BARNES.

Price, 50 Cents.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

PUBLISHED BI-MONTHLY, TENTH YEAR.

THIS Review, which was intended to meet the wants of many students of Chinese history and literature, has reached its fourteenth volume. The Review discusses those topics which are of interest to the minds of students of the Far East, and about which every intelligent person conversant with China or Japan is desirous of acquiring trustworthy information. It includes many interesting Notes and original Essays on the Arts, Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Natural History, Antiquities, and Social Manners and Customs, etc., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, and the Far East generally. Recently a new department has been taken, and the Review now gives papers on Trade, Commerce, and Descriptive Notes of Travel by well-known writers. It was thought that by extending the scope of the Review in this direction, the Magazine would be made more generally useful.

The Review department receives special attention, and endeavours are made to present a careful and concise report of the various countries, and to give criticisms embodying sketches of the most recent works on such topics. Authors and Publishers are requested to forward works to 'Editor, THE CHINA REVIEW, care of the Mail Office.' The Notes and Queries are still continued and form an important means of obtaining from well-informed persons knowledge on obscure points.

The Correspondents' column also affords further and greater facilities for the interchange of views and discussion of various topics.

Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, or any of the Modern Languages are received. The papers are contributed by the members of the various Consular, Imperial, and Missionary bodies, and also by the Missionary bodies, and also by the Missionary bodies, and also by the Missionary bodies.

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